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A. Loftus. L.R.C.P. L.R.C.S. D.P.H.

HEALTH COMMITTEE 1968.

Chairman:	Councillor Mrs Barratt.
Vice Chairman:	Councillor D. Pendrigh.
Members:	Councillor J.W. Elliott.
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	Councillor G.F. Walker.
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S T A F F.

Medical Officer of Health:	Dr. A. Loftus. L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., D.P.H.
Chief Public Health Inspector:	J.T. Ainsworth. M.A.P.H.I.
Additional Public Health Inspector:	D.W. Goodhand. M.A.P.H.I.
Clerical Staff:	Miss Robinson. Miss Newbold.
Handyman:	Mr. P. Blades.

Madam, Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I have the honour to present my Annual Report on the health and sanitary conditions of the town for 1968.

The mid-year population as supplied by the Registrar-General was 12,690.

During the year there were one hundred and fifty three live births, eighteen of which were illegitimate, giving a birth rate of 12.1 per 1,000 population, lower than national rate of 16.9. There were two hundred and seventeen deaths from all causes giving a death rate of 17.1 per 1,000 population, higher than the national rate of 11.9. There were no deaths in infants of under one year, the first time in the past eleven years. The greater number of deaths occurred in persons over sixty-five years of age.

On the infectious diseases side one hundred and twenty five cases were notified, one Scarlet Fever, one Whooping Cough, one hundred and sixteen Measles, three Acute Pneumonia, one Pulmonary Tuberculosis, three puerperal pyrexia. In addition to above, there were eight cases of Paratyphoid 'B' notified to the Registrar-General during the month of July, all attributed to being an outbreak in Skegness during the month of July, the history of the outbreak is briefly each case gave the same history of being on holiday in Skegness during the week ending 22nd-29th June. The first case was brought to my notice by the Medical Officer of Health, Sheffield, as a result of this notification a thorough investigation of the source of origin began during the month of July in the town, causing in all one hundred and ninety three samples to be submitted to the Public Health Laboratory, Lincoln. The samples included blood, urine, faeces, ice cream, ice cream mix, water, hamburg, ham, cream, cream cheese, cockles, prawns, shrimps, meat pies and sewer swabs, all of which were negative. The only explanation that can be offered for the outbreak, when samples proved negative, was that since the common food eaten by all cases was loose ice cream, and seeing only eight cases occurred, one can only conclude the infection was transmitted by a contaminated ice cream cornet, by a temporary carrier handling the cornet not being clean in toilet habits. Had the ice cream mixture been infected, more cases would have been notified, and this could have had a serious effect on the town for the season. To prevent a similar happening the lesson learned "Food Handlers" must be scrupulously clean when handling food, in particular loose ice cream.

There were twenty Caravan Sites licensed accommodating three thousand Five Hundred and Thirty Eight vans, these sites were visited regularly and forty six contraventions remedied, the number of holiday chalets was sixty seven.

There were ninety five houses erected during the year, twelve by the local authority, two houses were demolished, seven houses were the subject of a closing order, applications were received and granted in respect of six standard and six discretionary grants.

Under the Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, Three Hundred and Fifty Six premises were licensed, these were regularly visited and sixty six defects remedied.

The Water Supply to the town was satisfactory in quality and quantity, and there were no bad bacteriological reports. There was routine sampling of water from the swimming pools and paddling pool, also ice cream.

Refuse continued to be collected weekly, in winter, parts of district twice weekly in summer, and where necessary daily during the summer. The method of disposal is by controlled tipping.

I take the opportunity of thanking the Health Committee for their interest in the Department, Chief Public Health Inspector and staff for their co-operation.

I am,
Your obedient Servant.

A. LOFTUS.
Medical Officer of Health.

Area in Acres 4,440

Registrar-General's estimate of the resident population in mid 1968.. 12,690

Comparability factor for deaths.. . . . 0.74

Comparability factor for births.. . . . 1.20

Number of inhabited houses according to rate books... . . . 4,645

Total Rateable Value (Part I) at 31.3.69. £771,368

Sum represented by a Penny Rate in 1968-69... £3,036.1.8d.

Live Births (a) Legitimate M. 76. F. 59. 153
(b) Illegitimate M. 10. F. 8.

Live birth rate per 1,000 population. 12.1

Live Births ratio of local adjusted rate to national rate 0.86

Still Births rate per 1,000 total births 32

Illegitimate live births per cent of total live births... . . . 11.7

	Total Legitimate Illegitimate			Total Legitimate Illegitimate		
		Males			Females	
Deaths of Infants Under 1 Year of Age.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Under 4 Weeks of age.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Under 1 Week of Age.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil

Infant Mortality Rate per 1,000 Live Births.. . . . Nil

Legitimate Mortality Rate per 1,000 legitimate Live Births... . . 18

Illegitimate Mortality Rate per 1,000 illegitimate Live Births... . . 0

Neo-Natal Mortality Rate (deaths under 4 weeks per 1,000 total live
births) Nil

Early Neo-Natal Mortality Rate (deaths under one week per 1,000 total
live births)... . . Nil

Perinatal Mortality Rate (still births and d-eaths under 1 week combined per 1,000 total and still births) ... 32.0

Maternal Mortality (including abortion)

Number of Deaths ... Nil

Rate per 1,000 total live and still births.. ... Nil

DEATHS:-

Number of Deaths from all Causes ... 217

Death Rate per 1,000 resident population ... 17.1

Death Rate all ages rate of local adjusted death rate to national rate.. ... 1.06

Death Rate for England and Wales per 1,000 resident population.. ... 11.9

CAUSES OF DEATHS ACCORDING TO REGISTRAR-GENERAL'S RETURN.

Disease	Male	Female	Total
Other Infective & Parasitic Diseases.	1	-	1
Malignant Neoplasm - Stomach.	1	1	2
Malignant Neoplasm - Lung Bronchus.	8	4	12
Malignant Neoplasm - Breast.	-	1	1
Malignant Neoplasm - Uterus.	-	2	2
Leukaemia.	2	-	2
Other Malignant Neoplasms etc.	15	17	32
Diabetes Mellitus.	2	-	2
Avitaminoses etc.	-	1	1
Other endocrine etc. diseases.	1	1	2
Other diseases of nervous system.	-	1	1
Hypertensive disease.	1	2	3
Ischaemic heart disease.	35	15	50
Other forms of heart disease.	14	16	30
Cerebrovascular disease.	16	19	35
Other diseases of circulatory system.	3	5	8
Influenza.	-	2	2
Pneumonia.	5	2	7
Bronchitis and emphysema.	6	2	8
Peptic Ulcer.	1	-	1
Intestinal obstruction and hernia.	1	1	2
Other diseases of digestive system.	3	-	3
Hyperplasia of prostate.	1	-	1
Diseases of musculo-skeletal system.	-	1	1
Symptoms and ill-defined conditions.	1	4	5
Other diseases, genito-urinary.	-	1	1
All other accidents.	-	2	2

Total all causes. 217 100 217

The death rate (per thousand of the population) for Coronary Disease Angina 4.0, Pneumonia 15 and for Neoplasms of Lung Bronchus 19

DEATHS - AGE DISTRIBUTION.

Under 4 Weeks	4 Weeks and Under 1 Year.	1-4	5-14	15-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75 and over	Total
-	-	-	-	1	-	1	6	37	68	104	217

79.2% of the deaths occurred in persons over 65 years.

20.8% were under 65 years.

INFANTILE MORTALITY RATE FOR THE
LAST TEN YEARS.

(Rates per 1,000 Live Births).

1959	4	22.6
1960	1	7.0
1961	2	9.6
1962	5	28.4
1963	5	21.1
1964	7	36.2
1965	4	20.3
1966	7	15.7
1967	3	15.4
1968	0	0

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED (PART 1).

	Scarlet Fever	Whooping Cough	Acute Poliomyelitis		Measles (excluding Rubella)	Diphtheria	Dysentery	Meningococcal Infection
			Paralytic	Non-Paralytic				
Under 1 Year.	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-
1 Year.	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-
2 Years.	-	1	-	-	23	-	-	-
3 Years.	-	-	-	-	21	-	-	-
4 Years.	-	-	-	-	24	-	-	-
5-9 Years.	1	-	-	-	30	-	-	-
10-14 Years.	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
15-24 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25 Years and Over.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age Unknown.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total (All Ages)	1	1	-	-	116	-	-	-

INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED (PART 2).

	Acute Pneumonia	Smallpox	Acute Encephalitis		Typhoid Fever	Paratyphoid Fever	Erysipelas	Food Poisoning Suspected	Puerperal Pyrexia
			Infective	Post Infectious					
Under 5 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-14 Years.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-44 Years.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
45-64 Years.	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65 Years and Over.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age Unknown.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total (All Ages)	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3

Non-Pulmonary Tuberculosis

Nil

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

1

Grand Total 125.

TUBERCULOSIS.

	NEW CASES				DEATHS IN 1968			
	Respiratory		Non-Respiratory		Respiratory		Non-Respiratory	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Under 1 Year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 Year.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2-4 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5-9 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10-14 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15-19 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
20-24 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25-34 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35-44 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45-54 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55-64 Years.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
65-74 Years.	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
75 Years and Over	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age Unknown.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-

The following Table shows the number of cases on the Register at the end of 1968.

Pulmonary		Non-Pulmonary		Total
Male	Female	Male	Female	
89	90	11	29	219

SCHOOL HEALTH.

Minor Ailment Clinic.

A School Clinic is held at Cecil Avenue, on Tuesday Mornings weekly. The object of the Clinic is to treat minor ailments which may occur in children able to attend school.

Dental Clinic.

An Orthodontic Clinic was held monthly on a Wednesday Afternoon at Cecil Avenue for treatment of school children.

Speech Therapy Clinic.

A Clinic is held each Friday for the treatment of children with speech defects e.g., stammering, articulation defects etc.

Ophthalmologist.

A Consultant Ophthalmologist attends the Clinic, Cecil Avenue, on the first, second, fourth and fifth Thursday Mornings (children) of each month. First and Third Thursday Afternoons for (adult) treatment.

Orthopaedic Clinic.

A Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon attends the Clinic, Cecil Avenue, on Tuesday Morning of the first and fourth week each month to see cases referred to him including school children, by the general practitioners and School Medical Officer.

Chiropody Service.

Treatment is now provided by the County Council for old, handicapped people and expectant Mothers at the Clinic. The Chiropodist visits the home and gives treatment to those who are unable to attend at his Clinic.

OTHER CLINICS.

Chest Clinic.

By arrangement of the Sheffield Regional Hospital Board, a Chest Clinic is held weekly on Tuesday Afternoon at Cecil Avenue. Doctor Forrest is the Physician in charge.

Venereal Disease Clinic.

Once a week on a Thursday from 1st June to 30th September, a Clinic is held for patients suffering from these diseases.

4.0 p.m. to 5.0 p.m. (Female).
5.0 p.m. to 6.0 p.m. (Male).

From 30th September to 1st June once a month (Fourth Thursday) times as above.

Family Planning Clinic.

A Family Planning Clinic is held the second and fourth Monday Evening of each month from 7.0 p.m. to 8.0 p.m. The aim of the Clinic is to help married people in the planning of their families.

1. By informal sex education
2. By giving advice in sterility and sub-fertility.
3. By giving advice on methods of scientific contraception.

OTHER DOMICILIARY SERVICES.

Home Nursing Service.

There are two Home Nurses in the district. Their duties of Home Nurse combine with that of Midwife.

Home Help Service.

This help is arranged by the Area Welfare Officer on application to him at the Area Welfare Office, 13 Cecil Avenue, Skegness.

MATERNITY.

Midwifery.

Two Nurse Midwives serve the district, their addresses are as follows:-

Nurse Brooks.	185, Roman Bank, Skegness (Part-Time)	Skegness 1420.
Nurse Perkins.	2, Patten Avenue, Wainfleet, (Full-Time).	

GENERAL NURSES.

Mrs Poyser.	354, Drummond Road, Skegness.
Mrs Gooding.	84, Lincoln Road, Skegness.
Mrs Dickinson.	4, Lyndhurst Avenue, Skegness.
S.E.N. Mrs White.	3, Richmond Drive, Skegness. (Part-Time).

A Robophone receives messages on their behalf.

INFANT WELFARE SERVICES.

Health Visitors.

Three Health Visitors serve the District.

Mrs Toynton	The Clinic, Cecil Avenue, Skegness (Full-Time).
Mrs Mackenzie	do. (Part-Time).
Mrs Guttridge	do. (Part-Time).

Infant Welfare Clinic.

Clinics are held twice weekly on Wednesday and Friday Afternoons, at the Clinic, Cecil Avenue. Immunisation against Diphtheria and Whooping Cough and vaccination against Smallpox and Poliomyelitis are done at the Clinic.

HOSPITALS.

General and Maternity.

Skegness and District Cottage Hospital provides for most medical, surgical and maternity cases. Some maternity cases are admitted to Louth County Hospital and Grimsby General Hospital. Some medicals are admitted to Boston General Hospital and Wyberton West Hospital. Some surgical cases are admitted to Louth County Hospital and Lincoln County Hospital, paediatric cases are admitted to Boston General.

Infectious Diseases.

Patients suffering from these diseases are admitted to the Isolation Hospitals at Boston, Lincoln and Grimsby.

X-Ray Facilities.

X-Ray facilities are provided at the Skegness and District Hospital.

Laboratory Facilities.

Laboratory services are provided by the Lincoln Branch of the Public Health Laboratory Service.

Welfare Services.

Under the provision of the National Assistance Act, 1948, it is the responsibility of the Welfare Authority to provide accommodation for aged and infirm persons who are in need of care and attention. This accommodation is provided by the Welfare Authority in other districts of the County. It was not necessary to take action under Section 47 of this Act during the year.

Convalescence.

There are two Convalescent Hospitals in the district, one Male and one Female convalescence to these is arranged through the Sheffield Regional Hospital Board.

Nurseries.

A Voluntary Day Nursery is established by Councillor Mrs Barratt providing accommodation for thirty children between the ages of six months to five years. It is open from May to September and affords an opportunity to Mothers for seasonal employment.

Another special feature of this Nursery, accommodation is provided daily for children from 8.0 a.m. to 6 p.m., during the year whose Mothers are temporarily ill, or have to go to hospital for confinement or other illness. This arrangement enables the Father to follow his normal employment. A fee of 6s.0d a day is charged.

Ambulance Service.

There is one Ambulance Station in the district, this service is administered by the Local Health Authority.

Children's Act, 1948.

By the provision of this Act, certain classes of children come under the care of the Children's Department of the County Council. This Department is responsible for children who are for various reasons deprived of normal care of their parents.

MENTAL DEFECTIVES.

Analysis of subnormal patients at 1968 for Skegness.

<u>Category.</u>	<u>Male</u>		<u>Female</u>	
	<u>Under 16</u>	<u>Over 16</u>	<u>Under 16</u>	<u>Over 16</u>
Under Supervision.	1	14	-	9
Attending J.T.C.	1	6	-	3
Patients in Pyschiatric Hospitals for S.N's.	3	6	1	5
Awaiting Admission to Hospital.	-	-	-	-

Details regarding the Domestic Help Service in Skegness during 1968 are as follows:-

Number of Helpers enrolled at end of 1968

32

Number of cases given help during 1968.

Aged	Chronic Sick	Maternity	Others	Total
156	6	-	9	171

Number of cases receiving help at end of 1968.

Aged	Chronic Sick	Maternity	Others	Total
126	5	-	6	137

FOOD AND DRUGS ACT, 1955.
Skegness Urban District

Analysis of Samples.

No. of Samples.

Milk.	3
Processed Milk Products	12
Bottled, Dried and Tinned Products.	19
Non-Alcoholic Beverages.	4
Meat and Fish Products.	3
Medicines and Drugs.	4
Miscellaneous.	<u>1</u>
Total	<u>46</u>

The above samples were satisfactory.

Extraneous Matter in Food.

Raspberry Sponge Sandwich affected by mould - warning to retailer.

Muffins affected by mould - warning to retailer.

Sausage Roll affected by mould - warning to manufacturer.

Potatoes of unsatisfactory condition - legal proceedings, vendor fined £15 with £10 costs.

Milk (Special Designations) Regulations.

Pasteurised Milk.	198 samples.
Sterilised Milk.	<u>51</u> "
Total	<u>249</u>

Samples failing methylene blue test for keeping quality - 5.

These were dealt with by warnings and advisory action.

Further samples proved satisfactory.

WATER SUPPLY.

The water supply to the town was satisfactory in quality and quantity, there were no bad bacteriological reports, and no action had to be taken in respect of contamination. The number of dwelling houses supplied direct from public water mains was 4,983, and the population served was 12,690, no dwelling house was supplied by means of a standpipe. As regards fluoride content. Skegness is supplied with a small quantity of water from the two bores at Mumby. (Sandstone Bore) fluoride content 0.75 p.p.m. (Chalk Bore) fluoride content 0.11 p.p.m. It also gets its supply from (Welton Bore) fluoride content 0.03 p.p.m. (Candlesby bore) 0.14 p.p.m. and (Orby Bore) fluoride content 0.02 p.p.m. During the summer months it also gets a supply from the Driby Sourse, fluoride content 0.09 p.p.m.

HOUSING.

Total number of New Houses erected during the Year.

(I)	By the Local Authority	12
(II)	By other Local Authorities	Nil
(III)	By other bodies or persons	83

Housing Repairs and Rents Act, 1951-57.

(i)	Number of certificates of disrepair issued ...	1
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Inspection of Dwelling Houses during the Year.

(a)	Total number of dwelling-houses inspected for housing defects (under Public Health or Housing Acts).	151
(b)	Number of inspections made for the purpose ...	367

Remedy of Defects during the Year without Service of Formal Notices.

Number of Defective Dwelling-Houses rendered fit in consequence of informal action by the Local Authority or their Officers.	13
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Action under Statutory Powers during the Year.

(1)	Proceedings under Public Health Acts:-	
(a)	Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which notices were served requiring defects to be remedied.	Nil
(b)	Number of dwelling-houses in which defects were remedied after service of formal notice:-	
(i)	by owners	Nil
(ii)	by local authority in default of owners.... ..	Nil

(2)	Proceedings under the Housing Acts:-	
(a)	Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs ...	Nil
(b)	Number of dwelling-houses which were rendered fit after service of formal notice ...	
(i)	by owners	Nil
(ii)	by Local authority in default of owners... ..	Nil
(iii)	Number of unfit houses purchased by local authority in accordance with Housing Acts.	12
(iv)	Number of certificates of disrepair issued... ..	1
(3)	Slum Clearance - Proceedings under the Housing Acts:-	
(a)	Number of dwelling-houses in respect of which Demolition Orders were made.. ...	Nil
(b)	Number of dwelling-houses demolished in pursuance of Demolition Orders... ..	2
(c)	Number of dwelling-houses or parts subject to Closing Orders... ..	7
(d)	Number of dwelling-houses or parts rendered fit by Undertakings.. ...	Nil
(e)	Number of dwelling-houses included in confirmed Clearance Orders.	Nil
(f)	Number of dwelling-houses demolished in pursuance thereof.	Nil
(g)	Total number of dwelling-houses on which Demolition Orders are operative and which are still occupied except under the provisions of Sections 34, 35 and 46 of the Housing Act, 1957	1
(h)	Number of dwelling-houses on which demolition orders are operative which are still occupied.	Nil
(i)	Houses demolished or closed voluntarily by owners which would have been the subject of statutory action to secure demolition or closure... ..	- (Prefabs)

(4)	(a)	Number of Nissen Huts or other similar Hutments still occupied	Nil
	(b)	Date by which it is anticipated occupants will be re-housed	Nil
(5)		Estimated number of dwellings, excluding those under paragraph (4) remaining to be dealt with under:-	
	(a)	The Housing Act, 1957. Section 16 and 18	7
	(b)	The Housing Act, 1957. Section 42.	-

Housing Acts - Overcrowding.

(a)	(I)	Number of cases of overcrowding relieved during the year	Nil
	(II)	Number of persons concerned in such cases	Nil
(b)	(I)	Number of dwellings overcrowded at the end of the year... ..	Nil
	(II)	Number of families dwelling therein.	Nil
	(III)	Number of persons dwelling therein..	Nil

Housing Acts 1949-1959.

Number of dwellings for which application for grants have been received.

(a)	Standard Grant..	4
(b)	Discretionary Grant.	6

Number of dwellings subject to grant.

(a)	Standard Grant..	6
(b)	Discretionary Grant.	6

Number of houses owned by Local Authority which have been the subject of grant aid by the Ministry (fitting of wash basins only) Nil

Moveable Dwellings, Tents, Vans etc.

Caravan Sites and Control of Development Act, 1960.

Number of site licences	20
Total number of caravans permitted under such licences ...	3,538

Number of inspections during the year.

Sites	55
Caravans.	19
Number of contraventions remedied... ..	46
Number of sites exempt from licences	-
Number of caravans thereon..	-
Number of Holiday Chalets... ..	67

Public Health Act, 1936.

Number of Site Licences.	Nil
Number of Individual Licences... ..	Nil
Total Number of Moveable Dwellings permitted under above licences	Nil

Number of Inspections during the Year.

Sites.	Nil
Dwellings.	Nil
Number of contraventions remedied... ..	Nil
Number of sites exempt from Licences	Nil
Number of moveable dwellings thereon	Nil

FOOD PREMISES.

Bakehouses -

Number in district..	5
Number of inspections... ..	5
Number of contraventions	1
Defects remedied	5

Ice Cream -

Number of manufacturers on register.	10
Number of premises licenced for sale of Ice Cream... ..	190
Number of inspections of premises made..	110
Number of contraventions found..	4
Number of contraventions remedied... ..	4
Number of samples taken.	Grade I 26
	Grade II 4
	Grade III 4
	Grade IV 2

Meat Products -

Number of premises registered for manufacture of meat products	17
Number of Inspections made	17
Number of Contraventions found	15
Number of Contraventions remedied.	11

Other Food Premises - 551

Number of Inspections.	528
Number of Contraventions Found	202
Number of Contraventions Remedied.	225

Slaughterhouse -

Number Licensed - Abattoir type... ..	1
- Private (Individual)	-
Number operated by Local Authority	-

UNSOOUND FOOD.

Carcases and Offal inspected and Condemned in Whole or Part.

	Cattle excluding Cows.	Cows	Calves	Sheep and Lambs	Pigs.
Number killed (if known)	1,487	3	-	3,240	4,907
Number Inspected	1,487	3	-	3,240	4,907
All diseases except Tuberculosis and Cysticerci.					
Whole carcasses condemned.	2	1	-	-	10
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	231	1	-	7	288
Percentage of the number inspected affected with disease other than tuberculosis and cysticerci.	15.6%	66.6%	-	.2	6.1
Tuberculosis only					
Whole carcasses condemned.	-	-	-	-	-
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	-	-	-	-	10
Percentage of the number inspected affected with tuberculosis.	0.7	-	-	-	0.2
Cysticercosis.					
Carcases of which some part or organ was condemned.	5	-	-	-	-
Carcases submitted to treatment by refrigeration.	-	-	-	-	-
Generalised and totally condemned.	-	-	-	-	-

Other Foods Condemned.

189 packets Frozen Food.	8 Tins Ham.
216 " Jelly.	2 " Beef.
92 lbs. Pork.	4 " Tongue.
164 " Beef.	460 " Tomatoes.
25 " Liver	15 " Pork Loin.
21 " Sausage.	24 " Pie Filling.
54 " Lamb.	37 " Cherries.
3 Meat Pies.	4 Lbs. Egg Powder.
3 Haslet.	6 Apple Pies.
20 lbs. Chicken.	7 Sponge Cakes.
480 lbs. Tomatoes.	25 Tins Fruit Salad.

Method of Disposal of Condemned Food.

Meat	Disposal to Contractors.
Other Foods	Buried at Tip.

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

Closets -

Number of houses with privy vaults in district	Nil
Number of houses with pail closets in district	6
Number of houses with water-closets in district... ..	4,977
Number of water-closets substituted for pail closets and privy vaults.	Nil
Do Council operate pail closet emptying service... ..	Yes

Cesspool and Septic Tanks -

Number of Cesspools and Septic Tanks emptied, cleansed etc	106
Number of Cesspools and Septic Tanks abolished	Nil
Do Council operate cesspool septic tank emptying service.. ...	Yes
No. of Vehicles in use for emptying pails, closets and cesspools.. ...	1

Sewerage and Sewage Disposal -

Details of areas or villages where provision has been made of new
sewers or where existing sewerage arrangements improved.

Beresford Avenue.

Wilford Grove.

Firbeck Avenue.

WATER SUPPLIES.

Domestic -

Number of houses supplied from public mains -

In house	4,983
Standpipe/Outside Tap... ..	Nil

Number of houses supplied from private sources -

In house	Nil
Not in House... ..	Nil

New Sources of supply and Location -

Public'... ..	Nil
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Number of new sources of supply and Location -

Private	Nil
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Number of houses supplied therefrom	Nil
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Number of public supplies closed as -

(i) Polluted	Nil
(ii) Other Reasons	Nil

Any part of district requiring a public supply or the replacement of a public supply for public health reasons		Nil	
Number of samples taken for chemical examination -			
From Public Supplies -			
Satisfactory		Nil	
Unsatisfactory.. ...		Nil	
From Private Supplies -			
Satisfactory		Nil	
Unsatisfactory.. ...		Nil	
Number of samples taken for bacteriological examination -			
From Public Supplies -			
Satisfactory		4	
Unsatisfactory.. ...		Nil	
From Private Supplies -			
Satisfactory		Nil	
Unsatisfactory.. ...		Nil	
Swimming Pools -			
			Paddling Pools
Number of public swimming pools in operation	2		4
Number fitted with continuous mechanical filtration and chlorination	2		2
Number of samples of swimming pool water taken for chemical examination			
(a) Satisfactory.. ...	1		-
(b) Not Satisfactory.. ...	-		-
Number of samples of swimming pool water taken for bacteriological examination.			
(a) Satisfactory.. ...	10		11
(b) Not Satisfactory.. ...	-		5
Sea Water -			
Number of samples submitted for examination			
(a) Chemical.. ...		Nil	
(b) Bacteriological.. ...		21	

GENERAL.

Offensive Trades -)	
Number of premises in district)	None
Number of inspections made)	
Contraventions remedied... ..)	in
)	
Knackers Yards -)	District.
Number Licensed... ..)	
Number of Inspections.)	
Contraventions Remedied... ..)	
Shops Act, 1950 -		
Number of Shops Inspected.		Nil
Contraventions remedied... ..		Nil
Offices, Shops and Railway Premises Act, 1963 -		
Number of Premises Licensed... ..		356
Number of Inspections.		321
Number of Defects		140
Number Remedied... ..		66
Disinfection and Disinfestation -		
Rooms or Premises Disinfected		
(a) Infectious disease other than Tuberculosis		2
(b) Tuberculosis... ..		Nil
Number of Premises subject to disinfestation..		23
Refuse Collection and Disposal -		
Number of Premises from which refuse is collected		5,682
Frequency of Collection... ..		Weekly Winter. Parts of District Twice Weekly in Summer.
		Where necessary daily during Season.
Method of Disposal		Controlled Tip.
(If this is by tipping state if controlled or part controlled).		
Is this Satisfactory.. ...		Yes.
Number of Tips		2
Number of Refuse Collection Vehicles.. ...		5
Is Collection by Local Authority or Contract..		By Local Authority.

Nuisances -

Details of Nuisances abated

	After Informal Intimation	After Statutory Notice
Refuse	18	Nil
Foul Ditches, Ponds and Stagnant Water.	1	Nil
Drainage..	9	Nil
Poultry and Animals... ..	1	Nil
Dangerous Premises	Nil	Nil
Miscellaneous Nuisances... ..	<u>Nil</u>	<u>12</u>
	<u>29</u>	<u>12</u>

NOTE: Housing defects dealt with under the Public Health Act and nuisance relating to atmospheric pollution and rodent infestation to be dealt with under separate headings.

Rats and Mice Destruction -

Number of rodent operatives employed	1
Number of Premises Treated	
(a) Dwelling Houses	235
(b) Other Premises	216
Are there any serious reservoirs of rats in district?	No.

Atmospheric Pollution -

Number of Visits	7
Number of Nuisances found... ..	Nil
Number of Nuisances abated..	Nil
Details of (including area) any smokeless zone declared by Council and whether or not approved by Minister.	None.

Noise Abatement Act, 1960.

Number of Complaints... ..	Nil
Number of Nuisances Found.	Nil
Number of Nuisances abated	Nil

FACTORIES ACT, 1961.

PART I of the Act.

1. INSPECTIONS for purposes of provisions as to health (including inspections made by Public Health Inspectors).

Premises. (1)	Number on Register (2)	Number of		
		Inspections (3)	Written Notices (4)	Occupiers Prosecuted (5)
(i) Factories in main Sections 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 are to be enforced by Local Authorities.	-	-	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.	88	56	11	-
(iii) Other Premises in which Section 7 is enforced by the Local Authority (excluding out-workers' premises).	8	12	-	-
Total ...	96	68	11	-

FACTORIES ACT, 1961.

PART I of the ACT.

2. Cases in which DEFECTS were found

(If defects are discovered at the premises on two, three or more separate occasions they should be reckoned as two, three or more 'cases').

Particulars. (1)	Number of cases in which defects were found				Number of cases in which prosecutions were instituted (6)
	Found (2)	Remedied (3)	Referred To H.M. Inspector (4)	By H.M. Inspector (5)	
Want of Cleanliness (S.1)	-	-	-	-	-
Overcrowding (S.2)	-	-	-	-	-
Unreasonable Temperature (S.3)	-	-	-	-	-
Inadequate Ventilation (S.4)	-	-	-	-	-
Ineffective Drainage of Floors. (S.6)	-	-	-	-	-
Sanitary Conveniences (S.7)					
(a) Insufficient.	1	2	-	-	-
(b) Unsuitable or defective.	10	7	-	1	-
(c) Not separate for sexes.	-	-	-	-	-
Other offences against the Act (not including offences relating to Out-Work).	-	-	-	-	-
Total.	11	9	-	1	-

PART VIII OF THE ACT.

Outwork (Sections 133 and 134).

Nature of Work.	Section 133				Section 134	
	No. of out-workers in August List required by Section 133 (i) (c).	No. of cases of default in sending lists to the Council.	No. of prosecutions for failure to supply lists.	No. of instances of work in unwholesome premises.	Notices Served.	Prosecutions.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
Wearing Apparel - Making etc. Cleaning and Washing.	1 -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Household Linen. Lace, lace curtains and Mats.	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Curtains and furniture hangings.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Furniture and upholstery.	9	-	-	-	-	-
Electro-plate.	-	-	-	-	-	-
File making.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Brass and brass articles.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fur Pulling.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iron and steel cables and chains.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Iron and steel anchors and grapnels.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cart gear.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Locks, latches and keys.	-	-	-	-	-	-
Umbrellas etc.	-	-	-	-	-	-

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